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UPTAKE OF NUCLEOTIDES MODIFIED WITH BULKY GROUPS

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TRANSMITTAL SHEET

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application, please find:

- 1. Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages);
- 2. Form PTO-1449 (from parent, S/N 10/153,189; 5 pages);
- 3. Form PTO-1449 (1 page);
- 4. Four References;
- 5. Notice of Acceptance of Power of Attorney/Notice Regarding Change of Power of Attorney (from parent, S/N 10/153,189; 2 pages) and
- 6. Return postcard.

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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In accordance with 37 § CFR 1.97, Applicants bring to the Examiner's attention the related parent patent application, U.S. Serial No. 10/153,189, filed May 20, 2002, which is relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 USC § 120. For the convenience of the Examiner, a copy of the PTO Form 1449, previously filed in the parent application, is enclosed.

Further in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, enclosed are references relating to the above-identified application. For the convenience of the Examiner, these references are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 and a copy of each is enclosed herewith.

It is respectfully requested that these references be considered in the examination of this application and their consideration be made of written record in the application file.

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